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Subject: Re: Request for Meeting on TME Asphalt Ridge NOI

Glenn,

AMES is expected to provide a spreadsheet containing brief reclamation activity descriptions (line items) and planned quantities (length, width, height, yd3, tons, etc.) for surety estimation purposes. To expedite the permit review process, this spreadsheet should be submitted with or shortly after your Friday February 29, 2008 submittal.

The requested spreadsheet is simply a tabulation of all the anticipated steps necessary to reclaim the TME site and prepare it for post-mining land use. Brief activity descriptions and planned quantities are required from AMES. Although unit costs are required for surety calculation, these can be provided by DOGM. The Division's unit cost estimates can be expected to be on the high side to account for our uncertainties and assumptions in the project scope. I hope you appreciate that AMES is in the best position to expedite the permit approval process by providing your best estimate of all the reclamation steps and quantities you anticipate to be necessary. Through subsequent discussion we should be able to mutually agree upon the reclamation scope and quantities. Obviously, this process will be facilitated by receipt of a complete and detailed spreadsheet.

Please don't hesitate to suggest any potential reclamation item because you are uncertain if it will be necessary. None of the entries in the surety calculation spreadsheet are considered final until the mining and reclamation plan is approved. If the reclamation scope provided in the spreadsheet appears to be careless and inattentive, our review and approval processes will be protracted, since we will require additional line items for inclusion.

Since every mining project is unique, we are unable to provide a spreadsheet template for the TME project. All anticipated reclamation activities must however fulfill the requirements of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act and associated Rules.

Thanks,  
Beth

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